

**ABSTRACT**

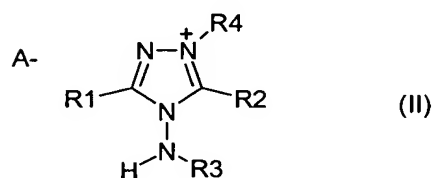
Process for the preparation of primary amines of formula (I):

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where R<sub>3</sub> represents an alkyl, cycloalkyl or aralkyl group, by reaction of a triazolium salt of formula (II):

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where R<sub>1</sub> and R<sub>2</sub> represent hydrogen or an alkyl, aralkyl or aryl group, R<sub>4</sub> represents an alkyl or aralkyl group or a residue of an organic polymer functionalized by an alkylating group, and A<sup>-</sup> represents a halogen, alkylsulphonate, arylsulphonate, alkyl sulphate, hydrogensulphate, hemisulphate, perchlorate or hydroxide, with a hydride, in order to obtain an amine of formula (I), which is isolated, if desired, and intermediates.